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Indicators Positive for the 'State of Miami Township'



In analyzing the State of Miami Township in 2022, the Board was pleased to find that the annual median household income has risen 6.2% from 2020 to \$101,456. In comparison, Clermont County has a median household income of \$68,275, respectively. The increase shows our residents are prospering and it is a positive indicator for potential economic development. It signals to retailers that there is strong buying power, or 'roof tops' here in the Township.

Another positive indicator is home value. In 2021, Miami Township median home value increased 9.2% to \$251,494. Clermont County has a median household income of \$206,551, respectively. We consider property owners in the Township to be shareholders and median home

value lets shareholders know how their stock in the community is holding up comparitively. We're proud to report they saw a good increase in already stable property values. In fact, Miami Township has the highest property value in all of Clermont County. We appreciate all our residents do to make that a reality.

While we didn't see a lot of commercial construction during the national pandemic, it is positive that we saw the creation of retail establishments. With more residents working from home, there has been increased demand for speciality eateries and a renewed emphasis on buying local. Two newer businesses are *Holston's Baking Co.* on Business 28 and *Three Tree Bakery & Cafe* located on State Route 28. We appreciate these 'mom & pop' type businesses we have seen open here in the Township!

We are also excited for investments taking place. *All Hail the Biscuit* recently opened at a former oil change business. Nicole and Josh House, owners of *Pickles and Bones* and Township residents gutted, reconditioned, and created a welcoming space for their new business venture. *Tropical Smoothie Cafe* opened a new location on Business 28. They are a national company serving fresh, made-to-order smoothies, wraps, sandwiches and flatbreads. And now you can find them right here in Miami Township!

TQL - a household name in greater Cincinnati, and a business originally founded in Miami Township, signed a lease for a vacant office building on Allen Drive. TQL will be moving 200 employees into the Allen Drive location and we are very thankful the property did not have to sit vacant for a prolonged period of time. We also believe the resulting workers at that location will have a positive effect on the surrounding businesses.

If you have questions regarding the 'State of the Township', we encourage you to reach out to any of us elected officals, Township employees, or specifically to Township Administrator, Jeff Wright at (513) 248-3725 or *Jeff.Wright@MiamiTwpOH.gov*. We look





forward to a happy, healthy, prosperous year for our residents and wish all of you the best of success! We are #MiamiTownshipProud.

Pet Microchipping

The Miami Township Police Department is teaming up with Clermont County Animal Shelter to provide low-cost microchipping! This is open to Township residents and non-residents!

The event will be held at Miami Meadows Park (1546 State Route 131 • 45150) on Saturday, June 18th, 1-4:00 pm at the main shelter and **YOU MUST RSVP** by June 10th. If you would like additional information or you would like to participate in this program, contact Officer Staci Miller at

Staci.Miller@MiamiTwpOH.gov or call (513) 248.3721.





YARD SALE WEEKEND

Stop by the neighborhood and see what you can find!



SPRING LITTER CLEAN-UP Saturday, April 23 • 10:00 am - Noon

The Spring Litter Clean-Up is a combination of two events that have proved successful for more than 20 years in Clermont County - the East Fork River Sweep and Clermont Clean & Green events. This year's event, in Miami Township, will be held 10:00 am-Noon on Saturday, April 23, and will meet at the Central Fire Station 26 (5888 McPicken Dr).

Volunteers are needed! You can register individually, organize a school/ scout group, or bring neighborhood friends to participate in this fun, worthwhile event! Protective gloves and trash bags will be provided. All

volunteers will be given a hot dog lunch and stainless water bottle as a thank you for helping out. YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE - KEEP MIAMI TOWNSHIP BEAUTIFUL! Find out additional information and sign up your group online at SpringLitterCleanUp.com.

IS YOUR BUSINESS **MIAMI TOWNSHIP PROUD?**

We want to profile our great Miami Township businesses and highlight them on our Government Access channel and social media. If your business is Miami Township Proud and would like to learn



more about this opportunity, contact Will Menz at (513) 965.6708 or Will.Menz@MiamiTwpOH.gov.

Blooms at the Spirit of '76



Find time in the next few weeks to experience the beautiful blossoms in the 'Grove of American Colonies' - located at the Spirit of '76 Veterans Memorial Park at Miami Meadows. Visit daily!

MIAMI TOWNSHIP POLICE

Mike Mills, Police Chief Mike.Mills@MiamiTwpOH.gov

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Know What to Look for to Spot a Scam



Corporal Thompson

Scams are crimes that the police department encounters on a daily basis. Knowing what to look for will better prepare an individual in spotting a scam. The old saying, "If it sounds too good to be true, then it probably is," applies to most scams. Typically scams will involve pressure to make a decision quickly, so you don't have time to consider all aspects of the decision you are about to make.

Definite signs of a scam include, but are not limited, to the following:

- You are asked to wire money or send a gift card.
- You won a contest you never entered. You have to pay a fee to receive your "prize".
- You are told you were overpaid and are asked to send money back.
- You are asked for personal information, especially log-in information and passwords.
- The caller will not provide you with their contact information.
- You are asked to keep the conversation a secret.
- You are pressured to make an immediate decision.

The story behind the scam will often change, but the tactics are very similar. The most popular scams involve some type of overpayment. The scammer will ask the victim to pay the difference in gift cards, cash or crypto currency. The scam involves sending some type of payment that is not traceable. These types of payment are almost never recouped once a victim is scammed.

Another common scam we encounter involve people posing as an IRS employee. The caller will advise that you owe the IRS money, and if you do not pay they will file a warrant for your arrest. In this situation, it's imperative to know that the IRS or any law enforcement agency will never request money to prevent charges from being filed or canceled.



Additionally, the IRS or law enforcement will also not take payment in the form of gift cards or crypto currency.

Identity theft is often another crime that can result from scams. Scammers will call requesting your personal information including social security numbers, date of birth, and bank login information. Your bank will already have this information, and a bank will never ask for your login information. If you provide this information to a scammer, they will most likely use the information to take out loans. The best thing someone can do to protect themselves from identity theft is to lock their credit. To do this you will need to go to the three credit bureaus' websites: Equifax, Experian, and TransUnion. Locking your credit will prevent credit from being opened in your name by someone else. It will require a temporary unlock if you want to get a new loan or credit card. This can be a minor inconvenience, but having your identity stolen is certainly more of a nightmare.

To protect yourself against scams, stop and ask yourself, "Does this sound too good to be true?" Also, take your time and don't fall into being pressured to make quick decisions. Ask for a call back number and business address, and then do some research on the number and address provided. If it is a scam, most of the time you will find that the number is reported as a scam with a quick Google search. If you feel the caller is illegally representing themselves as the IRS or a bank, tell them you will call them back and then look the number up yourself. Never provide passwords to accounts, and most importantly keep your credit locked.

MTPD Welcomes New Member to First Responder Team



Matt Hale

Miami Township would like to introduce the newest member of our first responder team, Matt Hale. He will be serving the community as a mobile crisis responder. Matt's office will be located in the lower level of the police department. His daily function is to provide mental health services to community members in need. He also responds to calls for service at the request of patrol officers.

Matt is originally from Texas and obtained his graduate degree in marriage and family therapy from the Abilene Christian University. He continued his education specializing in hypnotherapy, emotionally focused couples therapy and EMDR. Matt also specializes in de-escalation for individuals and couples in crisis.

Matt lived in Brazil for two years and speaks fluent Portuguese. His personal goal is to own a working farm and spend time in nature.

We are excited to have Matt as part of the team and look forward to developing a cohesive relationship to provide exceptional services to the Miami Township community. To reach Matt or to connect with mental health services in Clermont County, please call (513) 528-SAVE (7283).



MIAMI TOWNSHIP RECREATION

To register for an activity, go online to Register. MiamiTwpOH.gov or fill out a registration form and mail or drop off your form, with your check, to: Miami Township Recreation, 6101 Meijer Drive, Milford, OH 45150-2189. Pre-registration and prepayment is required for all camps & activities. Receipts will be sent to you (see receipt for refund policy). Financial assistance scholarships are available to Miami Township residents who meet assistance requirements. Direct your questions to the Recreation Department at 248-3727.

ADULT SPORTS & WELLNESS

Pre-registration Required - No Drop Ins Register online at Register.MiamiTwpOH.gov

SCUTTLEBUTT SKATERS

\$30 R - \$35 NR (Session) Session 1: Sats, APR 23-JUN 4; MR 10:00 am-11:00 am (no class 5/28) Session 2: Weds, JUN 8-JUL 13; MML 6:30 pm-7:30 pm Session 3: Weds, JUL 20-AUG 24; MR 6:30 pm-7:30 pm

MAT PILATES

Mondays, APR 18-MAY 16; MTCC 7-8:00 pm; \$50 R - \$60 NR (Session)



TAI CHI EASY

Tuesdays, APR 12-MAY 17, 6:30-7:30 pm MTCC; \$70 R - \$80 NR (Session)

MEMORY HEALTH:

Even Elephants Forget Sometimes Monday, MAR 28; 6-7:30 pm; MTCC \$15 R - \$20 NR

Attendees will review irreversible and reversible causes for memory loss and how to manage them, review a list of medications that can contribute to memory loss and how to discuss with their doctor; and review the evidence behind nutrition & dietary supplements & lifestyle changes used to treat memory loss.

2022 COMMUNITY CPR

In partnership with the Miami Township Fire & EMS we are offering "CPR For Friends and Family" and "Heartsaver CPR" not Healthcare Provider. The course will cover adult, child and infant CPR, AED and choking and will last 2-3 hours. We offer "American Safety and Health Institute CPR & AED Training" NOT Red Cross or American Heart Association Professional Rescuer or Healthcare Provider Training! \$25 R - \$40 NR; PSTC Tuesday, APR 5; 6:00 pm or Saturday, MAY 7; 9:00 am

LINE DANCING WITH ERICA

Wednesdays, APR 13-MAY 11; LH 5:00 pm-6:00 pm or 6:30 pm-7:30 pm \$35 R - \$40 NR (Session)

YOGA, MINDFULNESS & MORE

Tuesdays, MAY 3-24; 10-11:30 am; MTCC \$60 R - \$75 NR (Session)

MEN'S BASKETBALL

Thursdays, APR 7-MAY 19; MEADOWVIEW 6:30-9:30 pm (Ages 25+) \$45 R - \$55 NR

AQUATIC FITNESS HI-LO CARDIO COMBO

Tues & Frids, APR 5-MAY 20; MHS Pool 9:30-10:45 am; \$85 R - \$95 NR

PICKLEBALL BEGINNERS CLASS

\$10 R - \$15 - NR (Session) Monday APR 25; 6-8:00 pm or Monday MAY 9; 6-8:00 pm or Saturday MAY 21; 9-11:00 am or Wednesday JUN 1; 9:30-11:30 am

PICKLEBALL OPEN PLAY

Pickleball Courts are located at Community Park, 5951 Buckwheat Road, Milford, OH 45150. FREE!

Tuesdays, MAY 3-MAY 24; 9:30 am and/or Thursdays, MAY 5-MAY 26; 6:00 pm

WOMEN'S SELF-DEFENSE

Join Miami Townshipz Police Officers for selfdefense training. The WSD program is about empowering women and teaching them not to panic or submit to an attacker and using up their energy

Sunday, APR 24, 2-5:00 pm; MTCC (Ages 14+) \$5 R - \$10 NR

ADULT ACTIVITIES

Pre-registration Required - No Drop Ins Register online at Register.MiamiTwpOH.gov

The following classes are led by Chaplain, Colonel (Retired), Jess Abbott.

CREATION: Five Common Domains We Share in Our Globalized World Monday, MAR 21, 6-7:00 pm; MTCC

THE ART OF CONVERSATION

Monday, MAR 28, 6-7:00 pm; MTCC \$5 (Person)

U.S. GRANT: A REAPPRAISAL

Thursday, APR 14; 6-7:30 pm; MTCC \$10 (Person)

WALKING TOUR OF CAMP DENNISON

Unlock the secrets of Camp Dennison with Hamilton County honorary historian, Gary Knepp, on this walking tour. Saturday, MAY 7 or Saturday, MAY 14 10-11:30 am; \$10 (Person)

TIPS FOR ESTATE PLANNING

Monday, APR 4 or Monday, APR 11; MTCC 7-8:30 pm; \$5 (Person)

STRAW BALE GARDENING

Tuesday, APR 12, 7:00 pm; MTCC \$5 (Person)

GROWING. HARVESTING & USING YOUR AMAZING HERBS

Tuesday, MAY 10, 7:00 pm; MTCC \$5 (Person)

ANIMAL DETERRENTS

Monday, MAY 23, 7:00 pm; MTCC \$5 (Person)



SENIOR ACTIVITIES

Lifelong Learning is Happening at the Civic Center! Clermont Senior Services offers lifelong learning & a wide variety of senior activities at the Miami Township Civic Center. Call Lori Malpass from Clermont Senior Services at 248-4345 for more information.

Additional information can be found by visiting ClermontSeniors.com.

Krystin Thibodeau, Director Krystin.Thibodeau@MiamiTwpOH.gov

Recreation Department: (513) 248-3727 @MiamiTwpPARKREC MiamiTwpOH



Krystin Thibodeau

My oh my! We sure do have a pile of fun awaiting you this spring & summer!

First, we have an amazing concert schedule. We are very excited to have the Wannabeatles back again for a concert on July 30th! Secondly, we have a new Preschool Leader, Danielle Hardin, who has brought lots of her creative ideas to our summer camps like Digging Dinos and Fantasy Fairytale. We are thrilled to have her on our team! Thirdly, we have many of our trusty ol' camps that never disappoint the kiddos. We have All About Sports and Fishing Camps with Bruce Brunetti. We have been offering the popular Cheer Camp with Michelle Schmall going on 12 years. The most sold-out camps are with Officer Skip Rasfeld like the DARE Camps. Don't miss out on the fun with Mollie in Outdoor Adventure and Amazing Art Camp. Trish Day is leading "You Go Girl" Camp to help girls 10-13 years old to build confidence and healthy body-image in a fun camp setting. Check them out and don't forget to register early at Register.MiamiTwpOH.gov because we do expect them to sell out. Enjoy!

LEGEND:

R - Miami Township Resident; NR • Non-Resident MTCC - Miami Township Civic Center • 6101 Meijer Drive PR - Paxton Ramsey Park • 6265 Price Road MR - Miami Riverview Park • 587 Branchhill-Loveland Road PSTC - Public Safety Training Center • 5904 McPicken Drive MMP - Miami Meadows Pavilion • 1546 SR 131 MML - Miami Meadows Lakeside • 1546 SR 131

CP - Community Park • 5951 Buckwheat Road LH - Leming House in CP • 5951 Buckwheat Road

MHS - Milford High School • 1 Eagles Way

FAMILY ACTIVITIES

Pre-registration RequiredRegister online at Register.MiamiTwpOH.gov

KIDS ONLY FISHING TOURNAMENT Catch & Release FREE EVENT! Check out the detail on our website under "Free Events". Saturday, APR 23 and/or, SEPT 10; MML

MAMI TOWNSHIP'S CONCERT SERIES

2022 CONCERT SERIES

Pack up the family, grab your lawn chairs or blanket, and head out to the park for a rockin good time! *The Summer Concert Series* is back with local talent rockin' great music in the great outdoors. Food and beverages will be available for purchase.

For complete information, updates, schedule changes, and additions check MiamiTwpOH.gov.

<u>Saturday, JUNE 11</u> - DAT BAND DatBandCincy.com Miami Riverview Park • 6:00 pm

<u>Saturday, JULY 16</u> - MODEL BEHAVIOR ModelBehaviorBand.com Community Park • 6:00 pm

Saturday JULY 30 - THE WANNABEATLES
TheWannaBeatles.com
Community Park • 6:00 pm



MIAMI TOWNSHIP'S EASTER EXTRAVAGANZA

The Easter Bunny will be making a very special visit to Miami Township Civic Center. He has invited children to come and make crafts, decorate cookies, face paint, & play games. NO EGG HUNT. Treats will be distributed by the Easter Bunny & helpers. Back by popular demand...the petting zoo and magic show! Saturday, APR 2; 10:00 am-Noon; MTCC FREE FAMILY EVENT!

PAINT WITH JAMIE - Unique Cross

Thursday, APR 7; 6:30-8:00 pm; **MTCC** (Ages 13+) \$30 R - \$35 NR

MOMMY & ME PAINT WITH JAMIE Thursday, MAY 5; 6:30-8:00 pm; MTCC

FAMILY POTTERY PAINTING

(Ages 9+) \$40 R - \$50 NR

Only 6 months 'til Christmas! Get a jump on your shopping and join Star Glazers as they turn a room at the Civic Center into a Paint-Your-Own-Pottery studio! LOTS of pieces to choose from (including non-Christmas). No artistic talent needed! This class is offered in partnership with Ann Flynn, Star Glazers. All supplies provided. The created work will be returned to the Miami Township Recreation Department for pick up later. Space is Limited. Pottery pieces range from \$9-\$36, paid to the instructor at the time of class. Thursday, JUN 23; 6-7:30 pm; MTCC \$5 (Person - Does Not Include Pottery)

KIDS ACTIVITIES

Pre-registration RequiredRegister online at Register.MiamiTwpOH.gov

Children must be potty trained to participate in the following programs and mothers are encouraged to drop their child off. Please no pull ups or diapers. If the child is not potty trained parental, monitoring will be required on the premises and Miami Township does not provide personal services.

DRAWING with Katie Pokopac from Creating Joy

Mondays, APR 18-MAY 16; **MTCC** (Ages 4-6) 5:30-6:15 pm; \$55 R - \$65 NR (Ages 7-12) 6:30-7:45 pm; \$70 R - \$85 NR

Miami Township has partnered with Soccer Shots to bring you soccer programs for your children. Note: Parents must be present during <u>ALL</u> classes. <u>Sign up for</u> <u>these programs at</u> <u>SoccerShots.org/CincinnatiNorth</u>

SOCCER SHOTS - Spring Session

MINI: (Ages 2-3) 5:30-6:00 pm \$100 R - \$120 NR CLASSIC: (Ages 3½-5) 6:10-6:45 pm \$100 R - \$120 NR PREMIERE: (Ages 6-8) 6:55-7:40 pm \$109 R - \$129 NR

Session 1: MAR 21-MAY 16; LH Session 2: MAR 23-MAY 18; MR

SOCCER SHOTS - Summer Session

MINI: (Ages 2-3) 5:30-6:00 pm \$105 R - \$125 NR CLASSIC: (Ages 3½-5) 6:10-6:45 pm \$105 R - \$125 NR PREMIERE: (Ages 6-8) 6:55-7:40 pm \$114 R - \$134 NR

Session 1: JUN 13-AUG 8 (no class 7/4) CP Session 2: JUN 15-AUG 3; MR

PRESCHOOL ACTIVITIES

Pre-registration Required
Register online at Register.MiamiTwpOH.gov

PLAYGROUP PRIMETIME

Are you looking for a relaxed environment for your kids to meet new friends and develop new skills? Parents and grandparents are welcome to bring kids, ages 0-4 years, to learn, play, and socialize. We will meet each Thursday to have some fun, eat a snack, and listen to a story. Come and see what it's all about! APR 7-MAY 12; 9:30-11:30 am; MTCC (Ages 0-4) \$50 R - \$60 NR (Family/Session)

PRESCHOOL CAMPS

Pre-registration RequiredRegister online at Register.MiamiTwpOH.gov

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LIL' TYKES NATURE

Join Mollie Vonderhaar, Camp Leader, spending the mornings outside and feeling the grass between our toes, the wind in our hair, listening to the sounds of nature, and exploring our surroundings. We will go creekin' on Friday so we just might get a little dirty, so please dress appropriately. JUN 6-10; 9-11:30 am; LH (Ages 3-5) \$75 R - \$90 NR

BIG TRUCKS & COOL VEHICLES

Kids of all ages <u>LOVE</u> trucks and cool vehicles. In this camp, the little ones will explore the world of vehicles big and small. They'll learn how some of the vehicles work and what they do, while talking to the people trained to use them. A new truck adventure awaits them every day!

JUN 13-17; 9-11:30 am; LH

(Ages 3-5) \$80 R - \$95 NR

MOVIN' TO THE MUSIC

Join Mollie Vonderhaar in this movin' and groovin' camp. It has been proven that quality music experiences are important for a child's development including listening skills, enhancing vocabulary and creativity. Children love music as much as they enjoy making things. We are going to join these two creative forces to make fun and easy musical instruments that encourage play and creativity.

JUN 21-24 (4 days); 9-11:30 am; **LH** (Ages 3-5) \$60 R - \$70 NR

FANTASY FAIRYTALE

Welcome to where all things magical begin! This camp has everything little one's love: dress up, stories, arts, and crafts, and more. Here is a chance for your little princess or prince to participate in a magical time while creating their own fairy tale kingdom to preside over. On the last day, the children will participate in a Fantasy Ball where they can dress up like their favorite fictional character.

JUN 27-JUL 1; 12:30-3:00 pm; LH (Ages 3-6) \$75 R - \$90 NR

STORYBOOK CRAFTTIME

Does your child love to read and look at books? During this camp, we will be reading classic books and then making crafts to help bring these books to life. We will paint and sing about these different books. We will participate in dramatic play activities to act out our book of the day! On the last day, your child can bring in their favorite book to share with their new friends!

JUL 5-8 (4 days); 9-11:30 am; **LH** (Ages 3-6) \$60 R - \$70 NR



DIGGING DINOS

Does your child love dinosaurs? Let's dig for dinosaur bones, explore those amazing dinosaurs, and make some Dino tracks! Children will engage in a story, craft, and snack all centered around dinosaurs. Are you ready for your little one to participate in sensory and science activities while learning about the historic giants of the past?

JUL 11-15; 12:30-3:00 pm; **LH** (Ages 3-6) \$75 R - \$90 NR

ANIMAL SAFARI

Up for an adventure? Grab your binoculars and join Ms. Danielle on an animal safari. Each day we will learn about a different animal and its habitat through art, crafts, games, stories, and songs. We will celebrate with a stuffed animal picnic at the end of the week!

JUL 25-29; 9-11:30 am or 12:30-3:00 pm

MTCC (Ages 3-6) \$75 R - \$90 NR

KINDERGARTEN SAFETY

This camp is a great way to introduce your soon to be kindergartener to the great big world. Children will learn about safety topics such as bus, traffic, fire, family and personal safety. Children will be able to visit "Safety Town" where they will be able to ride the motorized cars and practice their safety skills and on Wednesday, we will be joined by a Miami Township Police Officer. Each day will include songs, crafts, a lesson, snack and games to reinforce the safety concepts. Children must be entering Kindergarten in the Fall of 2022.

JUL 18-22 (AM) <u>or</u> JUL 25-29 (AM) <u>or</u> AUG 1-5 (AM & PM) **LH** <u>AM Session</u>: 9:00-11:30

PM Session: 12:30-3:00 pm; \$80 R - \$95 NR



March 2022



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	BOARD of ZONING APPEALS 7:00 pm • MTCC	ZONING COMMISSION 7:00 pm • MTCC PAINT WITH JAMIE 6:30 pm • MTCC STOCK MARKET DOs & DONTS 7:00 pm • MTCC	4	COMMUNITY CPR 9:00 am • PSTC
6	7 MAT PILATES Thru APR 11 • MTCC DRAWING WITH KATIE Thru APR 11 • MTCC	YOGA MINDFULNESS & MORE Thru MAR 29 • MTCC NATIVE PERENNIALS 7:00 pm • MTCC	LINE DANCING WITH ERICA Thru APR 6 • LH LINCOLN ASSASSINATION 6:00 pm • MTCC	STOCK MARKET DOs & DONTS 7:00 pm • MTCC	11	WOMEN'S SELF DEFENSE 9:00 am • MTCC SCUTTLEBUTT SKATERS Thru APR 16 • MML
DAYLIGHT SAVINGS BEGINS • Turn Clocks Ahead • Change Smoke Detector Batteries	TRUSTEE WORK SESSION 7:00 pm • MTCC	TAE KWON DO Thru MAY 12 · MTCC	BEYOND M.A.S.H. 6:00 pm • MTCC	ST. PATRICKS DAY	18	19
SPRING 20	SOCCER SHOTS MINI SOCCER SHOTS CLASSIC SOCCER SHOTS PREMIERE Thru MAY 16 • LH CREATION 6:00 pm • MTCC	TRUSTEE BUSINESS MEETING 7:00 pm • MTCC	SOCCER SHOTS MINI SOCCER SHOTS CLASSIC SOCCER SHOTS PREMIERE Thru MAY 18 • MR	24	25	26
27	28 MEMORY HEALTH 6:00 pm • MTCC THE ART OF CONVERSATION 6:00 pm • MTCC	29	30	31		





Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	EASTER EXTRAVAGANZA 10:00 am • MTCC (FREE!)
3	TIPS FOR ESTATE PLANNING 7:00 pm • MTCC	COMMUNITY CPR 6:00 pm • PSTC AQUATIC HI-LO CARDIO Thru MAY 20 • MHS Pool	BOARD of ZONING APPEALS 7:00 pm • MTCC	ZONING COMMISSION 7:00 pm · MTCC PLAYGROUP PRIMETIME Thru MAY 12 · MTCC PAINT WITH JAMIE 6:30 pm · MTCC MENS BASKETBALL Thru MAY 19 · MEADOWVIEW	8	9
10	TRUSTEE WORK SESSION 7:00 pm • MTCC TIPS FOR ESTATE PLANNING 7:00 pm • MTCC	TAI CHI EASY Thru MAY 17 • MTCC STRAW BALE GARDENING 7:00 pm • MTCC	LINE DANCING WITH ERICA Thru MAY 11 • LH	1/4 U.S. GRANT: A REAPPRAISAL 6:00 pm • MTCC	15	16
17	MAT PILATES Thru MAY 16 • MTCC DRAWING WITH KATIE Thru MAY 16 • MTCC	TRUSTEE BUSINESS MEETING 7:00 pm • MTCC	20	21	COMMUNNITY YARD SALE WEEKEND	FISHING (KIDS ONLY) TOURNAMENT 9:00 am • MML (FREE!) SCUTTLEBUTT SKATERS Thru JUN 4 • MR COMMUNNITY YARD SALE WEEKEND
COMMUNNITY YARD SALE WEEKEND WOMENS SELF DEFENSE 2:00 pm • MTCC	PICKLEBALL BEGINNERS 6:00 pm • CP	26	FAMILY POTTERY & PAINTING 6:30 pm • MTCC	28	CLEAN UP DAYS 2-6:00 pm • MTCC	CLEAN UP DAYS 7:30 am - 5:00 pm • MTCC





Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	YOGA & MINDFULNESS Thru MAY 24 • MTCC PICKLEBALL OPEN PLAY Thru MAY 24 • CP	BOARD of ZONING APPEALS 7:00 pm • MTCC	ZONING COMMISSION 7:00 pm • MTCC PICKLEBALL OPEN PLAY Thru MAY 26 • CP MOMMY & ME PAINTING 6:30 pm • MTCC	6	COMMUNITY CPR 9:00 am • PSTC CAMP DENNISON WALK 10:00 am • Waldschmidt Homestead
* HAPPY * · · Mother's DAY	TRUSTEE WORK SESSION 7:00 pm • MTCC PICKLEBALL BEGINNERS 6:00 pm • CP	AMAZING HERBS 7:00 pm • MTCC	11	12	13	CAMP DENNISON WALK 10:00 am • Waldschmidt Homestead
15	16	TRUSTEE BUSINESS MEETING 7:00 pm • MTCC	18	19	20	MIAMI TOWNSHIP SAFETY FAIR 10:00 am • Mulberry Square PICKLEBALL BEGINNERS 9:00 am • CP
22	ANIMAL DETERRENTS 7:00 pm • MTCC	24	25	26	27	28
29	Township Offices Closed	TENNIS FLAG FOOTBALL Camps Begin!				

June 2022



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			BOARD of ZONING APPEALS 7:00 pm • MTCC PICKLEBALL BEGINNERS 9:30 am • CP	ZONING COMMISSION 7:00 pm • MTCC	3	4
5	MAGIC FISHING BEGINNING GOLF BEGINNING CHEER LIL' TYKES NATURE ADVENTURES W/ OFC SKIP	7	8	9	10	DAT BAND 6:00 pm • Miami Riverview Park
12	FISHING UNDER THE SEA ADVENTURES W/ OFC SKIP BIG TRUCKS/COOL VEHICLES Camps Begin! SOCCER SHOTS MINI SOCCER SHOTS CLASSIC SOCCER SHOTS PREMIERE Thru AUG 8 • CP	14	SOCCER SHOTS MINI SOCCER SHOTS CLASSIC SOCCER SHOTS PREMIERE Thru AUG 3 • MR	16	17	PET MICROCHIPPING 1:00 pm • Miami Meadows Park
Fathers Pay JUNETEENTH FREEDOM DAY	JUNETEENTH OBSERVED Township Offices Closed	MINI HAWK GAMES GALORE MOVIN' TO THE MUSIC Camps Begin! TRUSTEE BUSINESS MEETING 7:00 pm • MTCC	22	23 FAMILY POTTERY & PAINTING 6:00 pm • MTCC	24	25
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SPORTS CAMPS

Pre-registration Required Register online at Register.MiamiTwpOH.gov

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FISHING

The fish are biting, but have you ever discovered the joy of dropping a line into the water for the big catch! Now's your chance! In addition to daily fishing, participants will learn about fish ecology, tying knots and casting, respect for one's self and others, aquatic habitats and more. Campers will learn how to bait a hook & safely remove the fish from the hook. Bring your own equipment. Bait is provided. We will practice catch and release. JUN 6-10 and/or JUN 13-17 8-11:00 am (Ages 7-12) MML \$55 R - \$65 NR



ALL ABOUT SPORTS

Campers will participate in a variety of sports including basketball, baseball, soccer, and volleyball. There is an emphasis on teamwork and cooperation. There will be team building activities leading up to participating in the sport of the day. Friday will be Olympic Day. Bring lunch & a water bottle every day. JUN 27-JUL 1; 9:00 am-12:30 pm; MR (Ages 6-10) \$75 R - \$90 NR

Skyhawks Sports Camps

Skyhawks provides a wide variety of fun, safe and positive programs that emphasize lessons in sports and life such as teamwork, respect, and sportsmanship. Our programs are designed to give each child a positive introduction into sports while fostering a lifelong love for an active, healthy lifestyle. Our patient and knowledgeable staff use a variety of skill-building games and activities to give each athlete a complete understanding and overview of the sport. Since 1979 Skyhawks has taught over two million boys and girls life lessons through sports. Please Register at Skyhawks.com for these camps.



TENNIS

Whether your child is a beginner or intermediate player, this program will improve their game and help them get more enjoyment from tennis. Our tennis programs focus on skill refinement as well as practice and match play to develop consistent. well-rounded tennis players. Participants should bring a water bottle, two snacks, sunscreen and wear appropriate athletic attire. Every child receives an award certificate and Skyhawks t-shirt. Don't forget your racket!

MAY 31-JUN 3 and/or JUL 5-8 (4 days) 9-Noon (Ages 7-12) MR \$99 R - \$119 NR

FLAG FOOTBALL Fueled by USA Football

Experience the excitement of football with Skyhawks Flag Football fueled by USA Football. Using a curriculum developed by the experts from USA Football, coaches will teach skills like passing, receiving, kicking and flag pulling. Participants will gain confidence and learn important life lessons in a fun, positive environment. Participants should bring a water bottle, two snacks, sunscreen and wear appropriate athletic attire. Every child receives an award certificate, Skyhawks t-shirt and ball.

MAY 31-JUN 3 (4 days); 1-4:00 pm MR (Ages 6-12) \$99 R - \$119 NR

AUG 1-5; 9-Noon (Ages 6-12) MR \$125 R - \$150 NR

BEGINNING GOLF

Participants will learn the fundamentals of swinging, putting, body positioning, etiquette and keeping score. The program is specifically designed for the entrylevel player, simplifying instruction so that young players can make an easy and effective transition onto the golf course. All equipment provided. Participants should bring a water bottle, two snacks, sunscreen and wear appropriate athletic attire. Every child receives an award certificate and Skyhawks t-shirt.JUN 6-10 or JUL 11-15 9-Noon (Ages 5-9) \$125 R - \$150 NR

MINI-HAWK

(Baseball, Basketball & Soccer)

This multi-sport program was developed to give children a positive first step into athletics. Sports are taught in a safe, structured environment filled with encouragement and fun. Through exciting games and activities, campers explore balance, hand/eye coordination and skill development at their own pace. Participants should bring a water bottle, two snacks, sunscreen and wear appropriate athletic attire. Every child receives an award certificate, Skyhawks t-shirt

JUN 21-24 (4 days); 9:00-Noon; MR (Ages 4-7) \$99 R - \$119 NR



MULTI-SPORT

(Baseball, Basketball & Soccer)

Multi-Sport programs are designed to introduce young athletes to a variety of different sports in one setting. Athletes will learn the rules and essential skills of each sport, along with vital life lessons such as sportsmanship and teamwork. Participants should bring a water bottle, two snacks, lunch, sunscreen and wear appropriate athletic attire. Every child receives an award certificate, Skyhawks t-shirt and ball. Don't forget to bring your baseball glove!

JUL 25-29; 9:00 am-3:00 pm; MR (Ages 6-12) \$169 R - \$199 NR



Field Status **Hotline**

To check the status of athletic fields at Township parks, call the Field Condition Hotline at (513) 248-5513. It is important to not play on the fields when they are closed. This will help to eliminate extensive maintenance to damaged fields. Also, the Township does not allow non-employees to maintain ball diamonds. This includes raking and the application of material to assist in the drying of fields.

Community **Garden Plots Available**



Join the fun and fulfillment of growing your own delicious fruits and vegetables. The mix of gardeners and their knowledge levels range from highly experienced to novice. Gardening provides many healthy benefits including the friendships and camaraderie that develop!

SCHOOL AGE CAMPS

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Exciting News! Drawing Camps are being offered again this summer! These camps are being taught by Katie Pokopac, owner of Creating JOY. (She is a former Young Rembrandts drawing instructor.) Your child is sure to enjoy her fun and engaging drawing lessons! Her students learn to look at things from different perspectives. balance out their page, and improve their fine motor skills and drawing techniques. They will be inspired to unleash their creativity and let their personalities shine through their work.

UNDER THE SEA DRAWING

Everything's better, down where it's wetter, under the sea! Come dive deep and explore amazing creatures under the sea. We will draw colorful fish, crabs, whales, dolphins, sharks, octopus, sea turtles and jellyfish. JUN 13-17; MTCC

(Ages 4-6) 9-9:45 am; \$55 R - \$65 NR (Ages 7-12) 10-11:15 am; \$70 R - \$85 NR

OUT IN SPACE DRAWING

Going on a trip in our favorite rocket ship! We will explore the outer reaches of the galaxy! Come draw the moon, astronauts, the space shuttle, planets, and we may even spy some aliens.

JUL 18-22; MTCC (Ages 4-6) 9-9:45 am; \$55 R, \$65 NR (Ages 7-12) 10-11:15 am; \$70 R, \$85 NR

ALL ABOUT PETS DRAWING

How much is that doggie in the window? The one with the waggly tail? What's your favorite pet? We will probably draw it! We will draw cats, dogs, fish, birds, hamsters, and lizards.

AUG 1-5; MTCC (Ages 4-6) 9-9:45 am; \$55 R, \$65 NR (Ages 7-12) 10-11:15 am; \$70 R, \$85 NR

MAGIC

Magic clamp is taught by Jason Jacobs, teacher at McCormick Elementary, who will teach you basic magic tricks. Each day you get a new bag of tricks to take home and dazzle your family and friends with your newfound hobby.

JUN 6-8; MTCC; \$60 R - \$70 NR (Ages 5-7) Noon-1:30 pm, (Ages 8-13) 10-11:30 am

(Fee includes supply fee for the magic tricks)

ADVENTURES with OFFICER SKIP

Whether we are fishing, catching frogs, winding through a field, hiking in the woods, or splashing through a creek, this camp will be full of adventures with Miami Township Police Officer, Skip Rasfeld, We will have team challenges like sack races and get wet and wild with water games. Be prepared for unexpected activities that will challenge you. Wear closed toe shoes and clothes that will be OK to get wet and dirty. No lunch provided. Parents, during this fun camp there will be teachable moments that Officer Skip will use to enforce safety lessons. NOTE: Parents drop off your child at Paxton Ramsey Park on Wednesday, so the kids have a change of scenery and interesting new stuff to explore! JUN 6-10 or JUN 13-17: 12:30-3:30

pm (Ages 6-9) MMP & PR (Wed. Only) \$75 R - \$90 NR

BEGINNING CHEER

Join Michelle Schmahl, former Cheerleader at Xavier University, for this fun filled camp. Your child will learn beginning cheerleading skills. They will jump, clap, yell, and cheer their way in a mini-camp designed for young children. Come and join the fun and meet new friends in the area! JUN 6-10; 3:00-5:00 pm, LH (Ages 5-10) \$65 R - \$75 NR



GAMES GALORE

Spend the week playing all kinds of games! From field games to board games, you will have an opportunity to play the classics and learn new ones. JUN 21-24 (4 days); 9-11:30 am; MTCC (Ages 7-12) \$50 R - \$60 NR



YOU GO GIRL!

The purpose of this camp is to build a young woman's confidence, healthy body-image & self-esteem. They'll work on the beauty in being themselves, with creating things unique to them. We have invited strong role models to come to camp and will work with them and share experiences that are meant to build up. They'll learn physically through yoga, and self-defense. Then they'll stretch their minds through arts, crafts, and jewelry-making to create positive and personal reinforcement. JUL 18-22; 9-11:30, MTCC (Ages 10-13) \$55 R - \$65 NR

COED TEEN **HIGH ADVENTURE**

Join Officer Skip Rasfeld for an adrenaline packed week of sports. challenges and field trips that are geared towards both girls and boys. The camp culminates with a 100' slip-n-slide. You will have a lot of opportunities to push your limits in a safe environment. Planned activities are indoor go cart racing & ax throwing (Full Throttle), outdoor zip lining (OZONE Ziplining), and river kayaking (Little Miami Canoe). Activities may change due to weather, availability, or other circumstances beyond our control. NOTE: There is a 75 lb. minimum weight limit for zip lining and 285 lb. maximum and NO OTHER alternative activity available. Full Throttle will provide safety training and coaching for the ax throwing activity. Signed waivers are required for all field trips.

JUL 25-29; 9 am-3 pm; MMP (Ages 13-16) \$165 R - \$195 NR

AMAZING ART

Let your kids' creativity run wild in this week packed with hands-on arts and crafts. Camp Leader, Mollie Vonderhaar, will lead campers in all different types of art projects and activities, including tie dye! We will also play fun games and meet new friends. At the end of the week, campers will have at least five creations to take home. JUL 18-22; 9:00-11:30 am or 12:30-3:00 pm (Ages 7-9) MTCC \$75 R - \$90 NR

OUTDOOR ADVENTURE

Join this camp to explore the creek and woods at Paxton-Ramsey Park. In this adventure camp, kids will discover fun things that Mother Nature has to offer and will come up with some of their own ways to have fun. We will also play organized games like kickball and play water games. Parents be warned, your child will come home dirty most days. With Mother Nature providing endless possibilities, who knows what adventure they will encounter! AUG 1-5; 9-Noon; PR (Ages 7-10) \$60 R - \$70 NR

BETTER BABYSITTERS ***

Would your son or daughter know what to do if the child they were babysitting started to choke on something? Why not enroll your child in a Better Babysitters course? Your child will learn the responsibilities of having a job, the Rights of a Babysitter, CPR for a Child and Infant, Basic First Aid, Growth and Development and appropriate toys and activities for kids. They also learn diaper changing, infant care and how to feed a toddler. This class is being offered in partnership with Enriching

Session 1: Tues, JUL 5 & Thurs, JUL 7 or Session 2: Tues, AUG 2 & Thurs, AUG 4 12:30-5:00 pm (Ages 10+) MTCC \$100 R - \$120 NR (Session)



KIDZ HOME ALONE ***

Are you ready to educate your child about the responsibilities of being home alone? Our goal is to make every student feel more comfortable while home alone. This interactive course teaches topics such as First Aid, Self Heimlich maneuver, reasons to call 911, fire escape plans, microwave safety and how to problem solve during out-of-the-ordinary situations. Parents do not need to attend the class. This class is being offered in partnership with Enriching

Session 1: Tues, JUL 5 & Thurs, JUL 7 or Session 2: Tues, AUG 2 & Thurs, AUG 4 9:30-11:30 am (Ages 9+) MTCC \$75 R - \$90 NR (Session)

*** If you sign your child up for both Better Babysitters and Kidz Home Alone, Miami Township cannot allow your child to be unsupervised in the building between classes.

MIAMI TOWNSHIP FIRE & EMS

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Open Burning



Assistant Chief Dan Mack

With warm weather approaching, Spring cleanup is on the minds of many Miami Township residents. Leftover leaves and fallen branches abound, and the desire to dispose of these unsightly items to beautify our landscapes is normal. Miami Township understands that it can be difficult to dispose of yard waste

and does not want to place an undue burden on our residents. Although burning the offending materials may seem to be the easiest way to accomplish this, the Ohio Fire Code and Ohio Administrative Code both have strict rules related to open burning. Knowing these rules can help residents avoid problems with neighbors as well as the fire department.

Open burning rules apply to the burning of landscape waste, leaves, and downed trees and limbs, not just construction or residential waste. Open burning is restricted in Miami Township. A fire department permit is required for "open burning" and EPA approval and/or permits are typically needed. But the fact is, very few areas in Miami Township

qualify to obtain a burn permit. If you live in a typical subdivision, you definitely do not meet the distance from neighboring property lines or structures required to obtain a permit. We have posted information and reference materials on our website at *MiamiTwpOH.gov* under the "Fire & EMS" tab's "Education & Preparedness" menu option. Please look for the "Open Burn Info" link to see documents to review if you have questions.

Remember, our main concern with open burning is always the potential for a fire to spread quickly across a yard, to other brush, or even to nearby buildings. Your safety and that of your neighbors is always our number one priority. But open burns can also be unpleasant to others. Winds can change, and although you may enjoy the smell of wood smoke, your neighbors may not. So, a seemingly small burn can have other unintended consequences.

If you have questions, you can speak directly with a Fire Inspector by calling (513) 248-3700. Enjoy Spring, but as always, do so safely and "fire-free"!

MIAMI TOWNSHIP SAFETY FAIR

Saturday, MAY 21 • 10:00 am - 3:00 pm

The Miami Township Fire & EMS, Police and Service departments will hold the annual Safety Fair on Saturday, MAY 21 in the parking lot in Mulberry Square (1093 State Route 28 • 45150).

The Safety Fair will include displays, demonstrations and opportunities to ask questions of the Fire, EMS, Police and Service personnel. There will also be equipment demonstrations, police cars, ambulance and fire truck tours, an aerial tower, mass casualty trailer and a rescue boat. In addition, there will be giveaways for children and they will be able to tour the portable Life Safety Education Center.

For more information, contact the Miami Township Fire & EMS at (513) 248-3700.









COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

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Community Development Office: (513) 248-3731

Land Use Plan Update



Brian Elliff
Planning & Zoning Administrator

The Community Development Department recently hosted a public open house as part of the Miami Township land use plan update process. The event was well attended, including members of the public, Land Use Plan Update Committee appointees and elected officials. We want to thank everyone for the participation and input. Next near term steps include a follow up staff meeting, a final meeting of the Land Use Plan Update Committee and creating a first draft of the updated land use plan. As a reminder, all the materials on

display at the public forum are also available on the Miami Township website under the zoning button. The information can be reviewed virtually anytime, and comments submitted by e-mail.

Next up in the Land Use Plan update process – the Land Use Plan Update Steering Committee will schedule its final meeting to review public comment received from the open house and consider any additional recommendations.





Zoning Commission & BZA Sworn in for 2022

Each year the Board of Zoning Appeals and Zoning Commission members participate in a swearing in ceremony to start the new term. This year both Boards were sworn in by Trustee Mark Schulte. Each of the Boards is composed of five appointed residents of Miami Township, and one additional member who serves as the alternate. The members serve staggered terms, with one seat coming up for re-appointment each year.

For the Board of Zoning Appeals (*top*) this year, Steve Reece was selected to serve a two-year term as Chair and Randy Merrill was selected as Vice Chair. The Zoning Commission (*bottom*) approved Jeff Baumgarth and Ed Marcin as its Chair and Vice Chair for 2022 and 2023.





Live Oaks Renovation and Construction

The Live Oaks campus located in Miami Township is undergoing a \$30 million renovation, update, getting ready for the community's career-technical education needs.

The first phase of improvements includes nearly 200,000 SF of next generation interior renovations and a new 7,500 SF entry addition, with site improvements and an exterior refresh.

Live Oaks has become a staple in Miami Township and we thank them for their investment in the community!



MIAMI TOWNSHIP SERVICE

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CLEAN UP DAYS April 29th & 30th

The Service Department will have several trash dumpsters brought to the Civic Center parking lot for residents to drop off damaged or unwanted household goods on Friday, APR 29th (2-6:00 pm) and Saturday, APR 30th (7:30 am - 5 pm). This would include furniture, toys, bikes, grills, concrete blocks, building or landscaping lumber, appliances, etc.



ITEMS NOT ACCEPTED include yard clippings, leaves, tires, wet paint, anti-freeze, or any hazardous materials. We will also offer an on-site paper shredding service and disposal of motor oil and lead batteries (alkaline and lithium batteries will not be accepted). Paper shredding will be available on Saturday, APR 30th only at the Public Safety Training Center located at 5904 McPicken Dr.

PLEASE REMEMBER: Miami Township no longer collects matresses/box springs unless they are wrapped in plastic and sealed with tape.

Proof of residency in Miami Township is needed at the time of drop off. For additional information, please contact the Service Department at (513) 248-3728.

Brush Vouchers for Residents

Residents are encourage to pick up free brush vouchers to dispose biodegradable yard waste at Bzak Landscaping, located at 931 Round Bottom Rd., at no cost. A voucher must be presented to take advantage of this free program. Please provide proof of residency when obtaining vouchers at the following locations:

Service Department, 6007 Meijer Drive 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Police Department, 5900 McPicken Drive 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Civic Center, 6101 Meijer Drive 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

This proof could include a driver's license, utility, or tax bill.

Vouchers are valid for one dump. Please make sure to follow the guidelines printed on the backside of the vouchers.



Rain Gardens Good For Slowing Storm Water

Rain gardens are built in a shallow depression designed to collect rain water and slowly filter it into the ground over a period of a day or two. Unlike a wetland, rain gardens are designed to be completely dry after a maximum of two days, so standing water is not a problem. Good locations for rain gardens are areas where rain water collects during a storm, such as below roof downspouts, small grassy waterways, or parking lot islands. They are not well-suited for areas where water tends to stand for more than 48 hours.

Concerned about mosquitoes? No need to be. In fact, because rain gardens are designed to be dry within a day or two after a rain storm, they can act as mosquito "traps." Mosquitoes may lay eggs in the garden when it is holding water, but because it dries out so quickly, the larvae die before they can hatch.

Rain gardens help keep our streams and rivers clean by filtering "storm water runoff" before it enters local waterways. Rain gardens also help alleviate problems associated with localized flooding by encouraging water to soak into the ground, thereby reducing the volume of runoff. Anyone can build a rain garden on their own. Creating one requires nothing more high tech than a shovel. Check out the Clermont Soil and Water Conservation District's "Quick Guide to Planning and Installing Rain Gardens" at *ClermontSWCD.org* to see how easy it is! For more information, call (513) 732-7075 and they'll help you through it.







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248-3731 Zoning

MEETINGS

Miami Township Civic Center, 6101 Meijer Drive • 45150

Trustee Business Meeting 7:00 pm, 3rd Tuesday of Each Month **Trustee Work Session** 7:00 pm, 2nd Monday of Each Month **Zoning Board of Appeals** 7:00 pm, 1st Wednesday of Each Month **Zoning Commission** 7:00 pm, 1st Thursday of Each Month



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JULY 30 • 6:00 PM COMMUNITY PARK